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1. The Tarchomin Pharmaceutical Plant is located about two miles east of the Vistula River at N 52°19' E 20°59'. This plant lies about four-tenths of a mile east of the main highway and on a secondary road. This secondary road approaches the front gate of the plant from the west and then turns south along the west side of the plant to the southwest corner of the premises. Then it turns east and skirts the plant just outside the high board fence along the south side. This road continues east beyond the plant for about 400 yards, then cuts north for 300 yards, and then angles northeast. There is also another secondary road leading east off of the main highway about a fourth of a mile north of the one leading directly to the front gate. From this road, one is able to turn south and approach within a short distance of the north fence of the plant grounds.
2. The buildings of the plant are of brick and concrete. The plant premises cover an area approximately one-fourth of a mile square, being about one-fourth of a mile east-west and one-fourth north-south. The buildings vary in height from one to three stories. The premises are completely surrounded by a wall. This wall is brick and about eight feet high on the west (front) side, and around the other three sides it is a board fence, about ten feet high. The buildings on the western portion of the plant area are obviously pre-World War II construction. On the eastern half (roughly) of the plant area, there is new construction of several buildings of two and three-story height, some of which are not yet complete. Construction on these new buildings is well advanced. Some gray concrete buildings of one, two, and three stories lie adjacent to the plant but outside the fence.
3. There is a guard at the front gate of the plant, and there are watchtowers on the surrounding walls of the plant at the following points: in the middle of the south wall, at the southeast corner, at the northeast corner, and at the northwest corner. There are searchlights mounted at the corners where the guard posts are. The

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guard posts on the south wall and at the southeast corner were [redacted] manned in the middle of the day. The surrounding terrain is flat and very sandy with small scrub bushes. However, people living in the vicinity are cultivating the better patches of land.

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4. This plant [redacted] appeared to be in normal operation. At one time the two tall brick chimneys were giving out a considerable amount of smoke.

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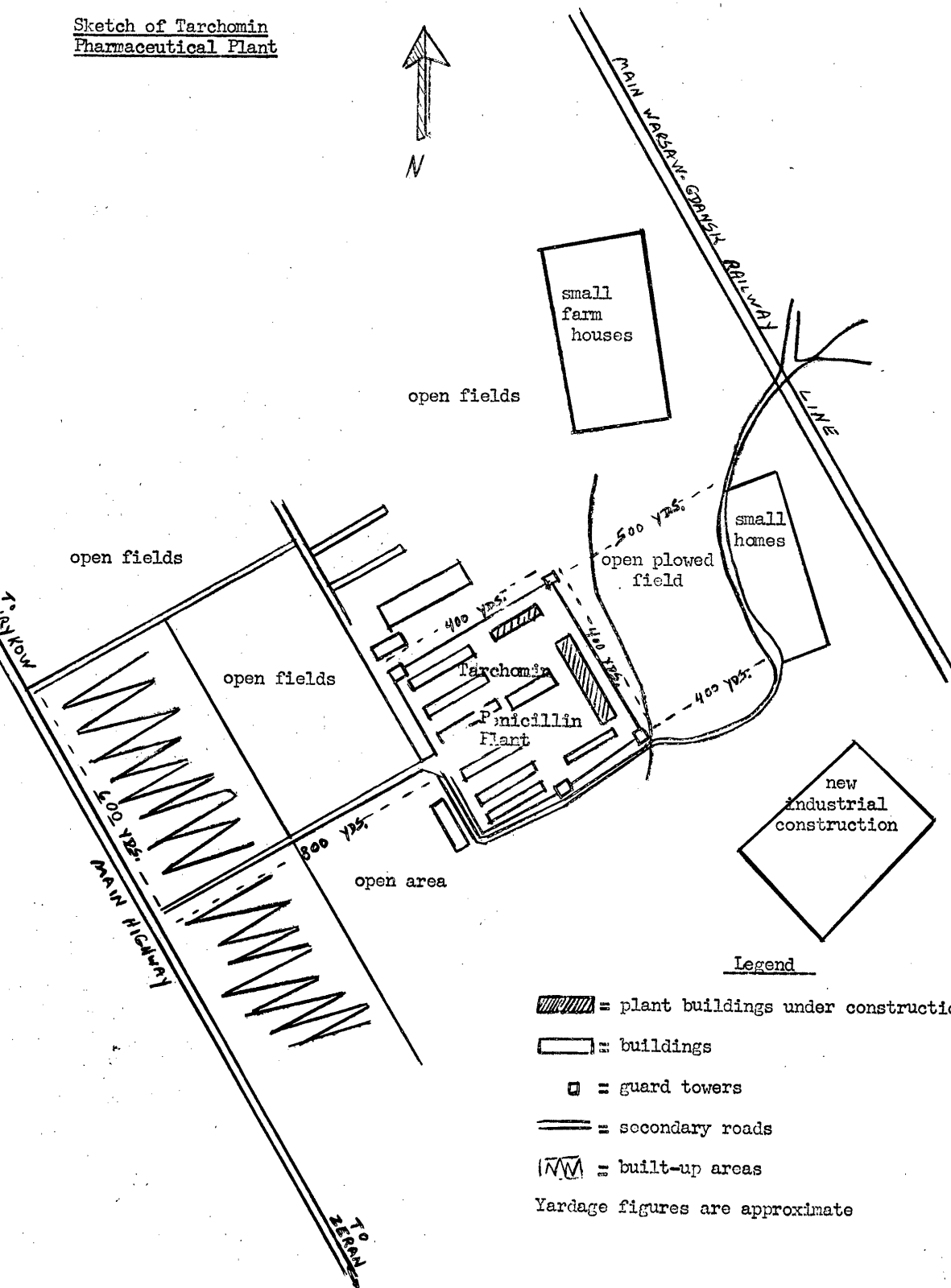
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Sketch of Tarchomin
Pharmaceutical Plant

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